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USIAEA

E.O. 11652 N/A
TAGS PARM, TECH, MNUC, AR
SUBJECT US FUEL FOR ARGENTINE REACTOR LOAN TO PERU

REF: VIENNA 10010

1. WE RECEIVED JANUARY 6 THE FOLLOWING LETTER FROM CNEA PRESIDENT
CASTRO MADERO DATED DECEMBER 30:

QUOTE: I HAVE THE PLEASURE TO ADDRESS LETTER TO YOU IN RESPONSE
TO YOUR NOTE OF NOVEMBER 22, IN WHICH YOU TRANSMITTED A COPY OF A
TELEGRAM (PARA 3 REFTEL) REGARDING THE TRANSFER OF A RESEARCH
REACTOR TO PERU.

WITH RESPECT TO THE SPECIFIC POINTS WHICH REQUIRE CLARIFICATION BY
THE IAEA, IN INFORM YOU:

- A. THE FUEL IS PROPERTY OF THE CNEA.
- B. THE FUEL WILL BE TRANSFERRED IN THE FORM OF A LOAN.
- C. THE SUBJECT FUEL WAS MANUFACTURED WITH US ORIGIN MATERIAL
UNDER THE COOPERATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THAT COUNTRY AND
ARGENTINA. IT IS INCLUDED IN THE TRANSFER AGREEMENT
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- D. THE FUEL WAS USED IN THE CORE OF THE RA-0 REACTOR WHICH
WAS IRRADIATED ON AN EXPERIMENTAL BASIS AT ZERO POWER.
 - E. THE INSTALLATION OF THE RA-0 REACTOR WAS SUBMITTED
TO IAEA SAFEGUARDS WHILE IT CONTAINED AND USED MATERIALS
SUBJECT FOR SAFEGUARDS.
- ON THE OTHER HAND, I WISH TO INFORM YOU THAT, IN THE
OPINION OF THIS NATIONAL COMMISSION, THIS SUBJECT SHOULD NOT

BE TREATED AS AN IAEA PROJECT UNDER ARTICLE XI OF THE IAEA
STATUTES BUT INSTEAD UNDER ARTICLE XII OF THE SAME STATUTES,
SINCE IT INVOLVES ONLY THE TEMPORARY LOAN OF ENRICHED FUEL.
COMPLIMENTARY CLOSE. END QUOTE.

2. ASSUME USIAEA WILL PASS ON THIS REPLY TO IAEA IN THE
EVENT GOA HAS NOT DONE SO DIRECTLY.
CASTRO

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